Rao Sahib Dr. N. Kunjan Pillai: ചോദ്യം മനസ്സിലായില്ല.

Mr. J. John Kattakayam: തക്ക സമയത്തു് അതിനുവേണ്ട പ്രവൃത്തികൾ ചെയ്യാത്തതു കൊണ്ടല്ലേ ഈ വിഷമം നേരിട്ടിരിക്കുന്നതു്?

Rao Sahib Dr. N. Kunjan Pillai: ഗവണ്മെൻറിന് അതിനെപ്പറ്റി അറിവു കിട്ടിയ ഉടൻ തന്നെ വേണ്ട കാര്യങ്ങൾ ചെയ്തിട്ടുണ്ടു്.

Mr. J. John Kattakayam: സിലോൺ ഗവണ്മെൻറും ഇങ്ങിനെയാണോ ചെയ്തിട്ടുള്ളതു്?

Rao Sahib Dr. N. Kunjan Pillai: അതിനെപ്പറ്റി അറിവില്ല.

Amendment of Puduval Rules.

66. ***Mr. J. John Kattakayam**: Will the Government be pleased to state whether they have any idea of amending the present Puduval Rules with a view to make them more useful to the people?

Mr. A. Kumara Pillai (*Secretary to Government*): The amendment of the existing Puduval Rules is engaging the attention of Government.

(The answer was read in Malayalam.)

Mr. J. John Kattakayam: ഈ സംഗതി എന്നു നടപ്പിൽ വരുമെന്നു പറയാമോ?

Mr. A. Kumara Pillai: ഇന്ന സമയം അതു നടപ്പിൽവരുമെന്നു പറയാൻ നിവൃത്തിയില്ല. താമസിയാതെ വരും. ഇപ്പോൾ ആ സംഗതി ഗവണ്മെൻറിന്റെ ആലോചനയിൽ ഇരിക്കുകയാണു്.

Mr. J. John Kattakayam: എപ്പോൾ നടപ്പിൽവരുമെന്നു ഉദ്ദേശമായിട്ടെങ്കിലും പറയാൻ സാധിക്കുമോ?

Mr. A. Kumara Pillai: ഉദ്ദേശമായിട്ടും പറയാൻ സാധിക്കുകയില്ല.

Publication of proceedings of the Legislature.

67. * **Mr. S. Piraviperumal Pillai**: Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) the languages in which the proceedings of the Legislature are now published; and

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(*b*) why the proceedings of the Legislature are not published in the Government Gazette ?

Mr. A. Kumara Pillai : (*a*) In English only.

(*b*) The Legislative Reforms Regulation, II of 1108, does not require the publication of the proceedings in the Gazette. Further the Government consider that the publication of the proceedings in a handier form would better serve the convenience of both the Government and the public.

Mr. S. Piraviperumal Pillai : With reference to the answer to part (*a*) may I know why the publication of the proceedings in Tamil and Malayalam are discontinued ?

Mr. A. Kumara Pillai : Sometime back the proceedings were published in Malayalam and that was given up afterwards as there were very few purchasers for the same.

Mr. S. Piraviperumal Pillai : May I know why it was not purchased ?

President : The purchasers must answer it. The Government member cannot answer it.

Mr. S. Piraviperumal Pillai : May I know from the member whether it was on account of the prohibitive price of the same ?

Mr. A. Kumara Pillai : No.

The Legislative Library.

68. * **Mr. S. Piraviperumal Pillai :** Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) whether the attention of the authorities concerned has been drawn to the inconveniences experienced by members of both the Houses in the Legislative Library ;

(*b*) whether it is a fact that proceedings of the Legislative Chambers elsewhere that are being received in the Legislative Library were allowed to be removed by non-official members also hitherto and, if so, why it is not done so now ; and

(*c*) whether any President of the Legislative Council (pre-reformed) or that of the present Legislature has ever visited the Legislative Library ?

Mr. A. Kumara Pillai : (*a*) Government are not aware.

(*b*) No. Proceedings of the Legislature come under "Books of Reference" and under the rules such books cannot ordinarily be removed from the Library.

(*c*) Yes.

Mr. S. Piraviperumal Pillai : With reference to the answer to part (*a*), may I know whether the suggestions made in the 'Suggestion Book' kept in the Library are being attended to by Government ?

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